

Mr. Burleson should have listened to the telephone operators long ago. Their demands do not appear to be unreasonable. The Herald believes in a square deal for these people.



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HUNS MUST SIGN TERMS IN MAY

BRITISH MUST STOP HUN STRIKE

(By Associated Press)
Cologne, Wednesday, April 17.—In consequence of the spread of strikes to the Cologne District General Plumer, in command of the British forces, issued a proclamation ordering the immediate return to work, and threatening strong measures.

SELLING U. S. MERCHANT STEAMERS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, April 17.—The sale of war built merchant fleet began today by the Shipping Board with the transfer of fifteen wooden steamships to the N. A. S. Steamship Company of New York for \$550,000 each.

Laws need cutting.

TURKISH SITUATION IS GRAVE

(By Associated Press)
London, April 17.—The situation in Turkey is causing grave anxiety. Internal disorder is reported by Rear Admiral Webb, R. N., at Constantinople. Outbreaks and massacres of the Armenian population are feared on a large scale.

MEXICAN EX-WAR MINISTER KILLED IN FIGHT

(By Associated Press)
Mexico City, April 17.—General Aureliano Blanquet, war minister in President Huerta's cabinet, who recently landed in Vera Cruz region to start revolution against the Carranza government was killed yesterday in a fight near Chavala Village, according to press reports from Vera Cruz.

Peace Pact Now in Hands of Drafting Committee--U. S. Asked to Control Constantinople--Bavarian Troops Advance on Capital

WILL START AIR FLIGHT FOR AMERICA

(By Associated Press)
East Church, England, April 17.—Major J. C. P. Wood who is to attempt a transatlantic flight from Ireland announced his intention of flying to America this afternoon. He hopes to start his flight across the Atlantic tomorrow.

(By Associated Press)
Germany will be forced to accept or reject allied peace terms by May 15, according to reports printed in Paris. It is indicated that no reply is expected before May 6th, the conference being disposed to give German government ample time to digest the terms and frame a reply. It was announced at a meeting of the Council of Ten in Paris yesterday that various articles of the past were in the hands of the drafting committee and that the remaining articles would be disposed of today. Norway and Switzerland will act as agents of allied and associated governments in feeding Russia. It has been agreed.

Representatives of France made reservations of the subject. This plan is disapproved by Russian elements opposed to Bolshevik. The question of the United States becoming mandatory for Armenia and province of Cilicia was again considered. It seems to be the disposition also to ask this country to take over the control of Constantinople. Albania appealed to Premier Clemenceau, president of the conference, asking complete independence. The communists still control Munich but heavy forces of Bavarian troops are said to have begun an advance on the Bavarian capital, according to Berlin advices.

KOONS ARRIVAL A WAITED-- CLAIM THAT HE CAN SETTLE BIG NEW ENGLAND PHONE STRIKE

(By Associated Press)
Boston, April 17.—The expected arrival here of John C. Koons, First Asst. Postmaster General and chairman of the wire control board, gave hope of a speedy adjustment of the strike of the telephone workers. Today the strike of the electricians which leaders claimed involved 12,000 men in 23 unions, became effective. It was understood Mr. Koons first step would be to confer with the telephone official managers. In some cities outside the Boston district it was claimed that improvement by use of volunteer and non union substitute operators. In

Boston and vicinity business virtually at a standstill.

SEC. DANIELS IN GERMANY

(By Associated Press)
Coblenz, Wednesday, April 16.—Secretary of Navy Daniels crossed the Rhine into Germany today. The entertainment provided for him included a review of the Second Division.

TO CLOSE OUT

Our entire stock of furniture, bedding, rugs, carpets, curtains, draperies, and in fact everything on our floors must be moved

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Silk Hosiery and Underwear; Kid and Fabric Gloves; Easter Novelties in Neckwear.

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SWISS TO VOTE ON JOINING THE LEAGUE

(By Associated Press)
Geneva, Wednesday, April 16.—The Swiss Government has issued an official note saying that the Swiss people will be called upon to decide by referendum whether the confederation will join the League of Nations.

ST. LOUIS PHONE GIRLS IN FAVOR OF BIG STRIKE

(By Associated Press)
St. Louis, April 17.—Telephone employees voted last night in favor of a nation-wide strike to force government recognition of employees unions.

CROWN PRINCESS WANTS DIVORCE

Zurich, April 17.—The former German Crown Princess Cecilie has taken steps to divorce her husband, Frederick William, according to a statement given to Swiss newspapers by her mother. The statement says she has long desired a divorce but pressure of the Hohenzollern family prevented.

THE WEATHER

Washington, April 17.—Cloudy tonight and Friday. Probably rains. Moderate shifting winds.

NOTICE.

Local 502, I. B. E. W. at a special meeting endorsed action of Operators Local 71, I. B. E. W. and also voted to back them morally and financially their successful end.

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GERMANY WILL ASK INDEMNITY

(By Associated Press)
Paris, April 17.—Germany intends to claim indemnity from the allies according to the Frankfurt Gazette. It says German negotiators will ask payment for damage sustained from aerial attacks from occupation of German territory by allied troops and delay in concluding peace.

SOCIETY GIRLS AS BREAKERS

Claims of slight gains by the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, intact ranks by the striking operators and a general walkout by the electrical workers are features in the strike of the telephone operators in Massachusetts. In some of the cities, banks, manufacturers and other concerns are tending their private exchange operators to the managers of the exchanges affected by the strike. In some instances society women and others have volunteered their services.

CARPENTERS NAME OFFICERS IN THE DISTRICT COUNCIL

Will Mean Standard Scale of Wages in the District.

The Carpenters' District Council recently elected the following officers for Portsmouth and vicinity: President, F. Burke, North Hampton; vice president, R. White, York, Me.; secretary, G. B. Whittemore, Portsmouth; treasurer, H. C. Goodwin, York; auditor, F. Doe, Dover; district business agent, R. S. Weston.

The organization is composed of locals from Dover, Portsmouth, York, North Hampton, and Exeter. Later the council will be extended to Newmarket, Somersworth and Rochester. The purpose of the council is to equalize and maintain a standard scale of wages in the district.

THE ORIGINAL FRONT-LACING CORSETS
Offered this season with a front so perfect that it rivals the beauty of the world-famed Gossard back. The perfect front eliminates all appearance of fat or thickness and gives a hygienically correct abdominal support that means all day comfort standing, sitting or bending. The Gossard back, with its delightfully flat lines that never have been and never will be attained by those attempting imitations, perfectly supports the spine and back muscles in every position.

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FRIENDS OF IRISH FREEDOM HEAR FINE ADDRESS

Mr. John J. Reilly of Boston, speaking before a large audience of the Friends of Irish Freedom follows: Your Reverence, Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen:

The American people, particularly those of Irish birth or descent, have always been deeply interested in the cause of Ireland, but the Irish question has been brought to the forefront or never before on account of the war and the part played in that terrible struggle by American wealth and American manhood. Before the war public opinion considered France as a decadent nation, peopled with effeminate, abstemious, degenerate men; Belgium was indicted as the robber and murderer of the Congo; the Russian bear was a monster and England was perfidious and grasping; Germany was a land of culture, leading the world in science and industrial development and American universities received the flower of German learning in their faculties.

Overnight, behold—a miraculous change is effected! Russia has become a land of oppression, France has become the chivalrous and heroic, Belgium the plucky and England the savior of small nations, the defender and hope of civilization. Germany—but you all know to what depths of degradation Germany had descended. The war went on and, when Germany's star was in the ascendant and the rest of the world was shrouded in gloom and despair, a new dawn appeared, hope and joy shined in the breasts of men—America, that mighty nation of the west, cast her lot with the allies, and peace was soon in sight.

With the entry of the United States in the war, we were soon in possession of the definite objects for which the allies and America were fighting. In particular, it was a war for self-determination of small nations and for the freedom of the seas.

Why have the Irish the right to ask England and America to see to it that Ireland should have self-determination? The answer? Ask the leaders of both governments what they fought for, then examine the results of the last general election in Ireland, and, finally, consider the part played by Irishmen in the armies of Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand, Canada and the United States of America.

President Wilson has told us that he has felt the pulse of peoples behind governments, knows what they want and we must give them their honest desires. To date he has apparently not felt the pulse of the Irish behind the British government nor that of Irish Americans behind the government of the United States. A delegation of prominent American citizens from the Irish Race Convention tried to see the President in Washington and failed. Later in New York, he was asked by this same delegation—our members, Justice Colburn, not being present, if he would present Ireland's claim at the Peace Conference. He said that the question should not have been asked at that time. A delegation is now abroad to get his answer and God speed them in their efforts to get his answer satisfactory to at least 30,000,000 people, one that will bring joy, happiness and prosperity to about 4,000,000 people in the glorious Emerald Isle.

Freedom of speech has been denied to the Irish in Ireland and in America too. Newspapers here have been excluded from the mails, yet the stand taken by Irishmen here and these same papers is consonant with the best traditions of Americanism, with the words of our President and with the immortal Declaration of Independence. Liberty of speech, liberty of action, liberty in the best sense of the word is God-given. Man is endowed by God with liberty but man, sometimes take it away. England did.

THIN, FRAIL FOLKS NEED PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitter-Phosphate to Put on Flesh, Healthy Flair and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and repelling ugly hollow sand noses by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are usually due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency as well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as Bitter-Phosphate which is inexpensive and is sold by D. W. Adams in Portsmouth and most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, Bitter-Phosphate quickly produces a welcome transformation in the appearance, the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

This increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, soon disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

Just that to Ireland. So I say, "Stop, thief, and return your stolen goods."

The time has now arrived to speak the truth. England was the mother country of the American colonies. England was never the mother country of Ireland. American colonies consented to English rule and has rightfully rebelled against it for seven and one-half centuries. Ex-President Taft dares to tell us that Ireland is an internal question. His daring is not at all surprising. He is the same man who promised tariff revision downward, who would not trust U. S. Senators overnight. Ireland has a distinct civilization from England; the two countries have nothing in common and the question, far from being an internal question, is an international and even an American question. For our troops fought to make the world safe for democracy.

The English are opposed to scraps of paper, so they say. What about the Irish Parliament that has dissolved and the Treaty of Limerick, shamelessly broken? Was the Home Rule Bill not another scrap of paper? England said: "We have passed the bill; now go and fight for us, Pat, and drop dead and we will put the bill into operation." America, beware of England, at the Peace Conference. There is a League of Nations constitution but there is no mention in it of the freedom of the seas or of self-determination. The two big principles for which the war was professionally fought have been forgotten or defeated. I am inclined to believe that England will not consider this document a scrap of paper in as much as Britannia still rules the waves and no part of the empire has a chance for self-determination.

Don't be deceived by reports concerning Ulster and religious differences in Ireland. Carson and Smith are not Ulster men but men who have been planted there to cause trouble. Left to themselves the people of Ulster are very fair. Even in the last election 17 Catholics and 15 Protestants were elected to Parliament.

With English hands removed from Ireland there will be no Ulster question and no religious question.

In closing I want to relate a conversation I had with an Irish American—save the work. He told me that he daily prayed for the British navy that had saved America. I asked him "Why in the name of God had it failed to save England?"

GRAND JURY FINDS 156 INDICTMENTS

Concord, April 17.—The United States grand jury made its report yesterday afternoon, returning 156 indictments, 140 of which number were against the Webb-Kenyon violators. The other indictments found were:

Cleophas Rouleau, Manchester, and William Woods, Keene, selling liquor to soldiers; Stanislaw Mislak, Manchester, failure to register; Clifford Blakes, alias Clifford Blaire, and May Russell, alias May Blaires, Claremont, scheme to defraud; Eugene Giguere, Manchester, doing retail liquor business without paying special tax.

GOOD FRIDAY AT THE NORTH CHURCH

A Good Friday service will be held at the North church at half past seven o'clock. The preacher will be Professor A. L. Gillett, of Hartford Seminary. Selections from the "Crucifixion" by Palmer, will be sung. The offering will be for the starving children of the East.

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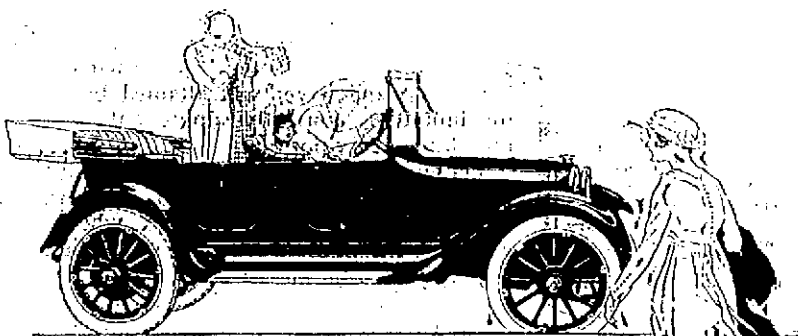
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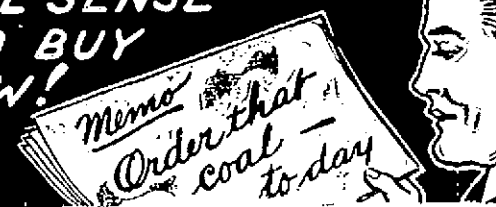
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NO SERIOUS TROUBLE WITH JAPAN

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 16—Acting Secretary of State Polk today authorized a statement that no serious questions were pending between United States and Japan and that indications were minor (issues arising situation in Siberia and recent trouble at Tien Tsin and Peace Conference problems) would be amicably settled without straining relations between two countries.

FRANCE WILLING TO WAIT FOR TREATY TERMS

(By Associated Press)

Paris, April 16—The Chamber of Deputies today voted confidence in the Government on the question whether France's conditions of peace should be made known to Parliament. Vote taken after French minister Pichon had declined to outline details of peace preliminaries until treaty is signed.

CHARGE MIS- SIONARIES WERE PRO-GERMAN

Washington, April 16—Formal charges of pro-German activities by certain American missionaries in Bulgaria and northern Persia have been forwarded to the American board of foreign missions by State Department, it was learned today from official source.

BIG SHOE BILLS CAN BE CUT

"I will always wear shoes with Neolin Soles," writes Mr. M. Newman of the Newman Mfg. Co. of Minneapolis. "They are superior to any other shoe; water-proof, more comfortable and more durable. After many months of wear they remain in good condition." Mr. Newman, and millions of others, have found that the answer to the shoe-bill problem lies in getting soles that wear a long time—Neolin Soles. They are scientifically made, very tough and yet have the other qualities that soles should have—comfort and absolute waterproofness. Get Neolin-soled shoes for your whole family. They are found nearly everywhere and in all styles. Have worn shoes repaired with Neolin Soles. They are made by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio, who also make Wingfoot Heels—guaranteed to outwear any other heels.

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POWERS TO SEND FOOD TO RUSSIA

(By Associated Press)

Paris, April 16—Agreement was reached today by associated powers to send food to Russia under neutral control. French representatives made several reservations which will be considered tomorrow. It seems likely that objections will be overcome and work hurried. Agreement stipulates Bolshevik and cease hostilities.

ICEBERG WORKING SOUTH

(By Associated Press)

Halifax, April 16—An iceberg in the track of Atlantic shipping was reported today in radio from Curran the Cunard liner Carmania, bound from Liverpool to Halifax with 3,000 troops.

GEN. WOOD OPPOSES CHANGE

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 16—Three Major Generals of the regular army, Leonard Wood and Hugh L. Scott (retired), have, died at his home suburb today former chiefs of the General Staff, and

each of whom trained and commanded divisions during the war, and John L. Chamberlain, Inspector General, opposed today before the American Association committee hearing into the subject of military justice, any plan of taking from the President and the commanding Generals the control they now exercise over court-martial the present controversy as to war-time sentences began with the proposal of Lieut. Col. Samuel T. Ansell, then acting Judge Advocate General to replace in the Judge Advocate General final jurisdiction of these cases.

NEW YORK STRIKE POSTPONED

(By Associated Press)

New York, April 16—The forty-eight hour "armistice" postponing the general strike of New York harbor workers called for six o'clock tomorrow morning, was agreed upon tonight.

PROMINENT DIPLOMAT DEAD

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, April 16—Robert Sanderson McCormick, Diplomat and father of United States Senator McMillan McCormick and Robert H. McCormick, one of the editors of the Chicago Tribune, died at his home suburb today from pneumonia.

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BOYS' SHOES

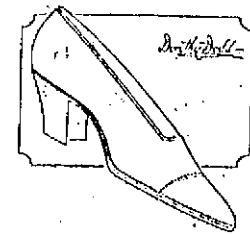
It's no more economy to buy cheap shoes for your boy than it is for yourself. It's a fact—you know it. In our boys' shoes are combining good merchandise with moderate price, good shape, good fit.

Boy's Good Shoes... \$3.50 to \$6.50

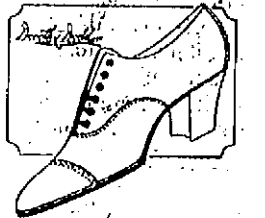
Smaller Sizes, \$2.25 to \$4.00



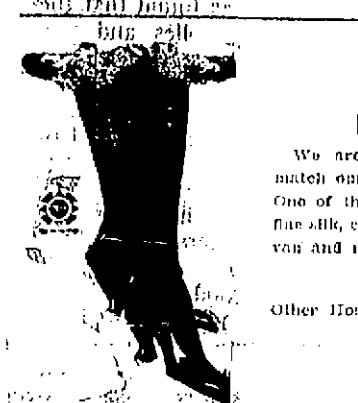
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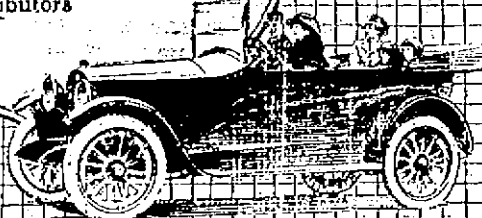
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Portsmouth, N. H., Thursday, April 17, 1919.

The Condition of Business.

The National Association of Manufacturers has been trying to get a line on business conditions throughout the country, and for this purpose it recently sent questionnaires to 400 of its members. The replies showed that in most lines business is much below the desired level, high cost of materials, sudden cessation of war-buying by the home and foreign governments, hand-to-mouth buying by jobbers, retailers and consumers in the expectation of lower prices, government operation of the railroads, war taxes, labor unrest, agitation and industrial strife, unemployment and poor distribution of labor and the partial shutting off of important European markets due to import trade embargoes by Great Britain, France and Italy.

Among the remedies suggested are the stoppage of war-films extravagance, a return of the railroads and telegraph and telephone systems to their owners, a modification of taxes on industry, abolition of war-period regulating agencies, to let increased production justify high wages and to educate the public in the elements of economics.

The most favorable reports were received from the brewing and distilling interests, which expect to be able to dispose of their surplus stocks to foreign buyers. Leather and leather manufactures were the next best.

In view of the manner in which this information was gathered it is to be assumed that it is reasonably reliable, and, admitting that to be the case, it will be readily understood that there is a considerable sag in business as a whole throughout the country. Yet in spite of this it was found that there is almost a boom in phonographs, automobiles and jewelry, which indicates that there are many people with whom business has been good if it is not good now.

The annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States is to be held at St. Louis the latter part of this month, and at this meeting there will be a discussion of conditions and suggestions as to the remedy. A number of Cabinet officers will be among the speakers and the discussions will include a wide range of topics of live interest to the business interests of the country.

This is all well enough, and some good should come from the efforts of leading business men to place the industries of the country back upon a healthy footing. It must be remembered that individuals, and even corporations, are not the government and cannot buy regardless of cost, as the government has been doing since the country entered the war.

Without doubt everything will work out right in time. What is needed just now above all things is costs off, sleeves up, a square deal for capital and labor and also for the consumer, who cannot co-operate as he should when prices are kept beyond his means.

Mayor Hylan of New York urges an investigation of profiteering in rents by the landlords of that city. The investigators should not ignore the costs of upkeep, for which such tenants as are building mechanics are largely responsible.

The German constitution provides that no member of a former reigning family shall be elected president in the next fifteen years. And if the German people know their business no such person will ever be elected president.

The question of enforcing war-time prohibition, due to begin July 1, is somewhat befogged. In the meantime the hope is rapidly growing among the "Wets" that there will be no such prohibition to enforce.

The War Department has ruled that the men of the 26th Division shall take part in no parades except the big parade in Boston the 25th. And perhaps the soldiers will be just as well satisfied.

Prohibition agitators are not to be granted passports to Europe for the present. They are informed that all Americans are barred "whose business is not of the utmost importance!"

Brig. Gen. Charles H. Cole will be chairman of the committee conducting the Boston drive for funds for the Salvation Army. He says he considers the position an honor, and it is.

CONGRESSMEN ASK THAT BURLERSON BE REMOVED

Twelve Massachusetts congressmen cabled President Wilson this noon asking for immediate removal of Postmaster General Burler.

Other cables of a like character are being sent to the President. Democrats charge that Burler is wrecking the party.

HOSPITAL TO CARE FOR ONLY 35 PATIENTS

Arbitrary Ruling Made by Board of Directors; Doctors Are Amazed.

The public and the members of the Portsmouth Hospital Medical staff are wondering what will hit them next. Today the doctors were staggered by an iron clad declaration from the directors of the institution which practically puts this city 25 years behind the times. This message to the physicians informs them that under no consideration will the Portsmouth Hospital care for patients over the number of 35. How does the public like the general order in the days when Portsmouth is going ahead in business and increase in population?

Is this being progressive? Who has the right to dictate such orders in this semi-private institution? During the past year or more the Portsmouth Hospital has cared for over 50 patients at one time and because those who control it do not see fit to enlarge or improve it to the requirements they practically inform the doctors that they are going to put it back to the days of the former Cottage Hospital on Court street and let any number of sick and suffering, over 35, get along the best way they can.

According to the medical men the hospital under such arrangement will not be recognized by the Red Cross in certain ways, or by the state. The medical men are not in any way taking kindly to this order and the institution is likely to face a test case before long over the fact that hospitals have been made ahead in modern times.

The days have gone by for any institution such as a hospital taking a step backward which is certainly what is being done by the directors who should be alive to the times.

The public and the medical profession will never tolerate any movement which is going to work hardship against the sick whether the hospital has 35 or 135 beds.

THE HERALD H'ARS

That the stilles has interfered with the usual line of affairs which the husband used to give wifey over the telephone.

That burglars are getting active again.

That a Massachusetts paper recently printed the following news item: "Quite a pleasant 'bitching' time" was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clara Pessier last Wednesday. An excellent dinner was enjoyed and five hogs were slaughtered, and a splendid time is reported."

That everything was pleasant for everybody but the hogs.

That a teacher in a Sunday School at Portland was trying to explain the meaning of grace.

That she asked one of the class whose father was an elder of the church what his father said before breakfast.

That the boy was quick with the answer and quoted Dad as saying, "Go slow on the butter, kids, it's 70 cents a pound."

That the Portsmouth Electric railroad is considering purchasing that part of the Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury line from North Beach to Hampton Beach if the line is junked.

That this would give the patrons of the road a straight run from Portsmouth to Hampton Beach.

That a Virginia paper carried the following article: "We wish to inform our friends that we were greatly shocked at the eloquent and marriage of our daughter, Tuesday, which we would have forbidden had we been warned of their plans. W. R. Parson & Family."

That the parents were just 20 minutes too late.

That the man who generally has money to burn is the one who is not starting many fires with the daisy.

That the Boston and Maine will operate the summer schedule of trains about June 30.

That a well known Portsmouth man is not saying much about his recent trip to Dover by auto.

That his friends express much sorrow for his loss, especially the apple juice.

That his car containing five gallons of elder was wrecked when he turned a curve.

That he cared nothing about the trouble with the auto but his heart was loaded with sorrow when the fermented liquid soaked into the surface of the highway.

That he refuses to be reconciled by the offer of Jakey to replace the elder.

That those interested in the Sunset League should be on hand for the meeting tonight.

That it looks like a big season for this line of sport in Portsmouth the coming summer.

That another detachment of sailors from the North Dakota have been sent to the Wakefield, Mass., rifle range for practice work.

That cheaper butter is promised by Easter.

That the present price staggers the housewife.

That April 26 has been proclaimed as Arbor Day. Among the ways suggested of observing the day is the planting of trees as memorials to the soldier dead.

That many local people are planning to see the parade of the 26th in Boston next week.

NAVY YARD NOTES

New Carpenter Reported

Carpenter William J. Waterworth of the Boston navy yard has been detached and ordered to the local yard. He will report to the office of the Shop Superintendent of the Industrial Department.

Going to Sea

Lieut. Noel Chaffin, for the past three years attached to the Military Department, has been detached and ordered to sea duty.

Discharged on Wednesday

Chief Boatwain's Mate H. M. Workman, of this city, for the past four years pilot on the yard ferry No. 1018 and lately transferred to the South Dakota, completed his third enlistment on Wednesday. After a visit to his former home in Kentucky he will re-enlist.

Waiting for Daniels.

The several changes among officers at the local yard will not take place until Secretary Daniels returns from France.

Sank 200 Subs

Rear Admiral Sims said that he believed there were "200 German submarines at the bottom of the sea," in a speech at the Bond Club, a Victory Loan organization in New York. He said the fleet "found many submarines stuck on the bottom, with indications showing that many of the men sunk inside either committed suicide or killed one another."

Mayo in Command.

Admiral Henry T. Mayo, commander of the Atlantic fleet throughout the war has been designated by Secretary Daniels as commander-in-chief of the "United States fleet."

This order, which it developed today, was issued some weeks ago, does not affect present disposition of the nation's naval forces, and Admiral Mayo would be in supreme command only in the event that the three separate fleets—the Atlantic, the Pacific and the Asiatic—were brought together.

One Shipfitter

One shipfitter was called for duty in the Industrial department today.

Making Good Progress

The apprenticeship school now has 55 students and those in charge report the boys making excellent progress.

On Inactive List

Mrs. Francis McCreath Yeoman (77) attached to the supply department, has been placed on the inactive list at her own request.

Two Loafing Days

Official orders directing the closing



Dress Up For Easter

The Time Is NOW!

The Place Is HERE!

Fresh, New, Distinctive—those words sum up the spring furnishings you will find ready for you.

Easter Shirts.....\$1.50 to \$6.00
 Easter Neckwear.....50c to \$2.00
 Easter Hosiery.....25c to \$1.50
 Easter Gloves.....\$2.00 to \$4.00
 Easter Underwear.....\$2.00 to \$3.00
 Easter Soft Collars.....25c to 50c
 Easter Pajamas.....\$1.50 to \$3.00
 Easter Hats.....\$2.00 to \$6.00
 Easter Caps.....50c to \$3.00

Dress Up

at

PARSONS The Hatter

of the yard on April 19 and 21 were laid today. Only emergency and holiday work will be carried out.

Represented at Sunset League Meeting

B. H. Crowell will represent the local navy yard at the meeting of the Sunset League directors at the P. A. C. building this evening.

MUST PAY WAR TAX ON PARADE ROUTE SEATS

Collector of Internal Revenue John P. Talley announced last night that war taxes must be collected and paid for every seat in windows, balconies, grandstands and other vantage points along the route of the 26th Division parade at the rate of one cent for each 10 cents or fraction thereof of the charges levied.

Admission tickets must have indelibly printed or stamped thereon the name of the person selling the ticket and the admission price, exclusive of the war tax. Failure to comply is punishable by a fine of not more than \$200.

All persons charging admission are obliged to register on Form 752 with the collector before tickets are placed on sale. Forms will be supplied on application in person or by mail.

Returns of taxes should be paid "immediately" following the day of the parade.

SHIP BRINGS RUBBER WORTH \$3,000,000

A very valuable cargo of East India products was brought to New York yesterday by the British steamer Jessy, Capt. Young, from Calcutta and Colombo. In her hold were nearly 5000 tons of raw rubber, valued at \$3,000,000. She also carried 100,000 gallons of coconut oil, thousands of boxes of jute, goatskins and hides and great quantities of tea, silk, teakwood, lacquer, coran and other merchandise. The bulk of this cargo will be unloaded at New York.

While crossing the Red Sea the Jessy exchanged signals with the British dreadnought from Duke, carrying Admiral Sir John Jellicoe on a voyage around the world.

Waite Grass Rugs

The only grass rug that makes any pretensions to permanent colors. Why not buy the best one made; it costs you no more.

NATIONALLY ADVERTISED

Firm, hard, closely woven, durable, easily cleaned, will not curl.

Our show windows are filled with a complete line of all the colors and patterns. Just take a look at them.

An Ideal Rug for Most Any Room

Portsmouth Furniture Co.

"The Money Saving Store"

Cor. Deer and Vaughan Sts.

Near B. & M. Depot.

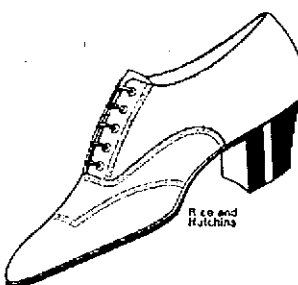
WALK AROUND THE CORNER—SAVE A DOLLAR!

Be Kind to Your Feet

and give them a treat to the

EDUCATOR SHOES

also to the ALL AMERICAS and SIGNETS on the English style, with a comfortable width, made by the Rice & Hutchins Co.



Educators for Men, Women and Children, in Shoes and Oxfords.

Treat the kiddies with a pair of patent leather bottoms with white kid tops in Educators, for Easter.



JAMES J. AHERN

Near the Postoffice.

27 Porter Street.

YOU SHOULD PAINT NOW!

Atlas Mixed Paint

50 Colors—The Old Reliable, sold by us for 35 years.

White Lead and Oil.

Varnishes and Shellacs.

Brushes, Etc.

Screen Paint

Fix up the screens. All widths of Wire in Stock.

MUCHEMORE & RIDER CO.

Phone 454.

Market Street

ANNOUNCEMENT
 Special Showing of Easter Millinery.

HATCHELL HAT SHOPPE
 Cor. Pleasant and State Sts.
 Opp. Postoffice



GET THE HABIT—THE COST IS SMALL.

Leave Your Parcels at Ahern's Shoe Store
 COR. CHURCH AND PORTER STS.

MESSANGER SERVICE

PHONE 87

A. G. DURY



Can You Tell

An honest straightforward advertisement when you see it? I will not advertise one thing and do another.

If I HURT You, Don't Pay Me

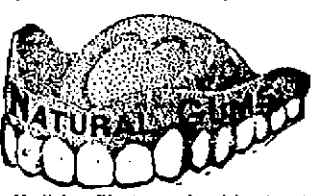
All Crown and Bridge Work guaranteed 22k gold. All Crown and Bridge Work reinforced heavy tipped. Best Plate Red Rubber \$8 (limited time only). Wear one of my sets of teeth 10 days and if at the end of that time you are not satisfied return them to me and I will refund your money in full. I guarantee my Plates not to drop nor make that "clicking noise."

ALL WORK GUARANTEED TEN YEARS!

DR. THOMAS T. ESTABROOKS

9 a. m. to 8 p. m. Phone 1108W.

French Spoken.



Medicine First—on Sensitive Teeth.
 Real Painless Dentistry.



More Charming New BLOUSES

Color seems to be the creed of many of the newest blouses—color neither vivid nor subdued, but a "happy medium" in tones, beautiful in themselves and flattering to wear. Such are the colors in blouses featured here.

FOYE'S

OBSEQUES

Warren B. Hardy.
The remains of Warren B. Hardy were taken to Peabody, Mass., Wednesday afternoon for services and interment under direction of J. Verne Wood.

TAKE ACTION IN THE TELEPHONE STRIKE

Chamber of Commerce Offers Assistance to End Trouble.

At a meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce today, the telephone situation in New England and in this city was discussed.

should remain neutral in any matter which it had not had an opportunity to fully investigate. It is, nevertheless, vitally interested in any matter which concerns the welfare and business interests of the community.

It was therefore resolved that the Chamber offer its assistance towards bringing the present crisis to an amicable settlement, and urge all public spirited citizens to aid in every possible way in bringing about the restoration of the wire service, the present interruption of which is a public calamity.

CHRIST CHURCH.

There will be a Maundy-Thursdays service at 7.30 o'clock this evening with preparation for Easter Communion.

Easter Suits, Coats, Capes

DOLMANS, DRESSES, WAISTS, TRIMMED HATS
in a large variety of styles, colors and materials at the Most Reasonable Prices.

You will save from \$5.00 to \$10.00 on a suit or coat if you buy here. Style, quality and make are of the best. Alterations free.

The Siegel Store Co.

57 Market St.

"The Store of Quality for the People."

We Rebuild and Vulcanize Tires

That does not mean that we merely retread them. Every tire is thoroughly inspected by our experts. All tires that show defects in fabric are discarded.

We also have the latest machinery and equipment with which to do our work, and we can safely guarantee our Rebuilt Tires to wear satisfactorily.

We also can supply you with all sizes of Rebuilt Tires at very reasonable prices.

We will not rebuild any tires which in our opinion will not give satisfactory mileage. So don't throw away your old tires. Bring them in or send them in, and we will save you two-thirds the price of a new tire.

Portsmouth Auto Tire Exchange

141 Market Street

Portsmouth, N. H.

Don't Throw Away Your Old Tires.

LT. BAILEY V. EMERY, FRENCH ARMY, HOME

Lieut. Bailey V. Emery of the French Army Artillery Tank Corps, son of Hon. and Mrs. John W. Emery, arrived at his home here on Wednesday evening from New York. He arrived there from France on the Rochambeau. The young man does not wish to talk about his war record, but the Herald man knows that it is one that thrills the heart of young America. His friends here know of his determination to enter the war for democracy, how he went to Plattsburg, then failed of enlistment or commission because of physical disability. He next tried to enlist in the Canadian army and failed there on account of his eyesight, as he did afterwards in his effort to get a place in the Red Cross.

Not to be kept out of the war he sailed for France at his own expense and joined the motor transport service. From this duty he worked his way up and was admitted to the famous French artillery school where he graduated with honors, winning a commission and being assigned to duty in the fighting line. Here was a fine example of Yankee determination and all will be glad to welcome him to his native hearth.

CURRENT EVENTS

Mrs. Hamlin Gives Able Talk Before Grafton Club.

Mrs. Merrill Hamlin of Portland, Me., addressed a good sized audience in Pierce Hall Wednesday afternoon on "Current Events," the lecture being under the auspices of the Grafton club.

Mrs. Hamlin, who is the daughter of a former U. S. Senator, has appeared before the Grafton club twice before and her hearers listened to her able talk with marked interest.

By the aid of a victory map she told of current events and showed the boundaries of the countries and referred to what they asked for in the peace treaty and explained why the various nations wished certain territory. She told of some of the oppressed small nations and their fight for freedom, and the awful bloodshed Germany had brought on the world. She concluded her talk by telling a little about the wonderful work of the United States in getting its men across in so short a time and our Yankee khaki boys turning the tide of war.

Mrs. Hamlin speaks before the Current Events Club of Portland each week and she has lately appeared before the Dover Woman's Club. She is an able speaker and is listened to with pleasure wherever she appears.

Rev. Vaughan Dabney of New Hampshire College, Durham, will speak before the Grafton club at Pierce hall at four o'clock next Wednesday afternoon. He has lately returned from overseas and will give his experiences in the 42d Division, his subject to be, "The Triangle and the Rainbow." The Red Cross meet-

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Sarsaparilla The Spring Medicine Purifies the Blood Creates an Appetite and Makes the Weak Strong

Candies For EASTER

All the Highest Grades Put Up
In Dainty Packages.

Place Your
Orders Now

And Have Them Fresh Made.

ALLINSON'S

Drug Store-

PORTSMOUTH
SCHOOL OF MUSIC
("We Make Professionals")

G. Bertrand Whitman, Piano, "Celli and Ensemble.

Everett Shola, Violin.

Nelson Bernier, Cornet and Band Instruments.

Joseph Hodgdon, Clarinet and Saxophone.

Now beginning the last quarter before the Summer School, which opens June 1st.

MUSIC STUDIOS
14, 15, 16 Freeman's Block.

ing planned to be held on this date by the club at the Woman's Building, will not be held, owing to this speaker coming.

PERSONALS

David Gouger was a recent visitor in Concord.

Mrs. James Harvey of Lloyd road is visiting with friends at Franklin and Holderness.

Mrs. John Latham and daughter Anna left for New York today to pass Easter with relatives.

Fred Johnson, who has been passing a few days with relatives in Concord, has returned home.

Mrs. Merrill Hamlin of Portland, Me., has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Dodge in this city.

Mrs. Crompton of Germantown, Penn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Abbie E. R. Tredlek at State street.

E. C. Faybelle and family of Washington, D. C. have arrived at their summer home at New Castle.

Inspector A. J. Donovan of the Atlantic Heights project, has been restricted to his home in Boston for the past ten days with blood poisoning.

"BAYER CROSS" ON ASPIRIN

Always Ask for Genuine
"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"



Only Aspirin Tablets with the safety "Bayer Cross" on them are genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin." owned and made by Americans and proved safe by millions of people. Unknown quantities of fraudulent Aspirin Tablets were sold recently by a Brooklyn dealer which proved to be composed mostly of "Talcum Powder."

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" should always be asked for. Then look for the safety "Bayer Cross" on the package and on each tablet. Accept nothing else! Proper directions and dosage in each Bayer package.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoclonalchlester of Salzeberg.

BOXING TUESDAY

The boxing bouts that the Rockingham A. C. has arranged for Tuesday evening next week promises to be full of action from start to finish. In the main event Mike Kerns of Detroit will meet Young Bushley of Woonsocket. These boys are among the fastest 128 lb. boys in the country and as both are going along now at top speed a great battle is in store for the fans. The semi final is another bout that looks mighty good. Young Regan of the Navy is a second Abe Attell for speed and will make good with local fadon Tuesday evening. Young Wolf of Nashua has the reputation of being a tough willing boy which makes the semi final look like a main bout attraction. The preliminary will be between Tommy Fitzgerald and Young Scotty.

MILK CANS CAUSE OF BIG FIGHT

The delivery driver of a certain dairy concern and the chef of a popular restaurant had a most violent altercation on the subject of milk cans yesterday.

The delivery man stated that a certain standard of cleanliness was required in all returned milk containers and the chef by a well directed punch at the exponent of cleanliness endeavored to convince the milkman that the standard has been met or even exceeded. Whether the statement or the wallop is responsible isn't known, but the deliveryman was overcome by one or the other and the cans were called.

The chef was punched on a charge of assault and the driver was held as a witness. After a period of reflection the milk dispenser and the cook agreed to call it a draw, without resorting to law.

It is rumored that the milkman is ten dollars richer, but the chef has more confidence than ever in that "good right swing."

AWARDED DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL

Distinguished service medal has been awarded Brig. General Harry Taylor for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished services. Article in Prince June 11, 1917, as chief of engineers. A. E. F. he organized and administered the engineering department, which included the construction of wharves, depots, railroads, barracks and shelters throughout the theatre of operations. He continued these duties with most marked and conspicuous ability, building a complete and efficiently functioning institution.

RETURNS FILED IN NEW WAY

Boston, April 17.—Under the revenue act of 1918 income tax payers shall file their returns on a basis of their definitely established accounting period rather than on the calendar or fiscal year basis. This interpretation of the act was made yesterday by Collector of Internal Revenue John F. Miley as a result of numerous inquiries on the point.

COLONIAL NOW SHOWING!

W. S. HART
At His Best in

"The Poppy Girl's Husband"
GAUMONT NEWS!

Tom Moore

—in—
"THIRTY A WEEK"
VAUDEVILLE

Major Doyle
Robinson and Thompson

Friday and Saturday!

Florence Reed in "Her Cuckoo of Mexico."

Mae Marsh in "Spot Light Sadie."

Colonial Orchestra
MATINEE EVERY DAY!

MISSIONARY MEETING AT METHODIST VESTRY

The Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the Methodist church held their monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon in the vestry with a good attendance.

The Home department held its annual business meeting in the afternoon and the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. William Brille.
First Vice President—Mrs. William Sanborn.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Elmer F. Newell.

Recording Secretary—Treasurer—Miss Hattie Oxford.

Secretary of Young People—Miss Mabel Schumann.

Secretary of Children—Miss Esther Ransfield.

Secretary of Fitting—Miss Gertrude Liddle.

Secretary of Literature—Mrs. Edward Pike.

Secretary of Mite Boxes—Miss Martha Grant.

Secretary of Temperance—Mrs. Joyce.

The program given included a reading by Mrs. Percy Fildes; reports from the district meeting at Haverhill, Mass., given by Miss Mae Smith, deaconess, and Mrs. William Brille; also reports from the conference at Littleton.

Supper was served at six o'clock by the Home Missionary society, with Mrs. William Brille in general charge.

In the evening the foreign department gave an interesting program, the exercises being of the following:

Singing—"Land On, O King Eternal!"

Scripture readings.

Prayer by pastor, Rev. Elmer F. Newell, D. D.

Talk—Lieut. Sidney Jones.

Report of Missionary Work from Conference—Mrs. Inez McMillin.

Headings, Miss Constance Taylor, Mrs. Jones.

Nothing's
ever wrong
with my
"tummy"
says
Bobby
I eat
POST
TOASTIES

EASTER BARGAINS!

GEORGETTE WAISTS

GIRLS' DRESSES

GIRLS' HATS

BOYS' WASH SUITS

BOYS' HATS

The Remnant Store

250 State Street

Cor. Pleasant (Next to A. P.)

VARIETY And Lots of It at the Popular

SCENIC

Tonight! Every Night!

Don't Forget the Great Big

MOVIE DANCE

With the Famous

DUNBAR

ORCHESTRA!

Two Corking Good

PICTURES

Always Something Doing
at the

SCENIC

With Clark, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Annie
Farmington,
Shelton, Ab.

PLANT MEN QUIT WORK THIS MORNING

Telephone Repair Men Take
Up Fight for Labor.

The newest development in the local telephone strike situation was announced by the plant department boys when they quit work at 7.30 this morning.

The plant department has charge of inside repairs and construction and this means that if any break in telephone equipment occurs between now and the ending of the controversy, that the system must cut out the disabled lines.

The plant men held a meeting this morning at a Congress street hall and called the situation and prospects over. Miss Sullivan of the Boston Union

OLYMPIA

Wednesday and Thursday!

ENID BENNETT

—in—
"PARTNERS THREE"

A Paramount-Ince Picture.

SPECIAL BENNETT COMEDY

"EAST LYNNE"

With Variations, Featuring
Ben Turpin.

CLARA K. YOUNG

In the Great Stage Success

"CHEATING CHEATERS"

Coming Friday and Saturday

GEORGE WALSH.

strike committee arrived in town last night at 10.30 and addressed the striking operators and members of the Central Labor Union.

She with a delegation started for Dover, Somersworth and Exeter this morning to organize the telephone operators in those towns.

Only three operators are working in Dover, the girls having quit last night and they will be organized and receive the sanction of the union today.

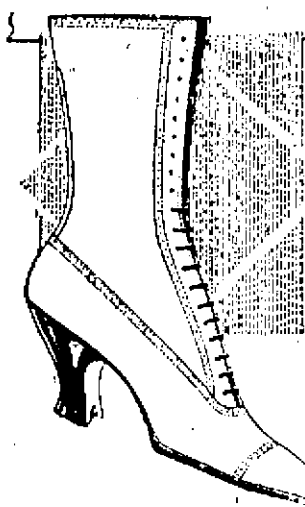
Local service still remains about the same. Toll calls are not being made in any case and local service is being rendered as far as possible.

Hope of an early settlement is held by many of the Union officials.

Many pay a war tax on tickets for the 20th division reviewing grandstand. Some people were under the impression that the boys themselves paid the tax, no more the sea.

Full accounts of the peace conference will be available when the censorship is lifted.

Last Call For Easter



Despite heavy selling this week, newly arrived consignments find us better able to serve your Easter wants than ever.

Goods that were bought after the sharp market decline enable us to sell you much better merchandise than ever before and the prices are much lower than for the past year. Please come early so that you'll have your choice of an unbroken line.

Friday—EASTER SPECIALS—Saturday

Ladies' White Canvas and Nubuck Shoes

Pumps, Oxfords and Hi-Cut Lace, variety of styles, military and high heels, best qualities and makes, valued from \$5 to \$10. Easter special at

\$2.25 to \$4.48

Ladies' Easter Shoes

Pumps, Oxfords and Hi-Cut Lace, all styles and heel heights; white, gray, mahogany and black; best makes; values from \$5.00 to \$10.00. Easter special at

\$2.48 to \$4.98

Ladies' Hosiery

Silk, Lisle Hose in colors to match any color shoe. Best wearing of the well known manufacturers; values from 50c to \$2. Easter special at

24c to 79c

Men's and Young Men's Easter Suits

Our showing this year is wonderfully complete; all models—blues, blacks and the best of the mixed serges; values from \$25 to \$50; Easter special at

\$12.50 to \$26.50

Men's Easter Footwear

Low and High Shoes, all the newest lasts, mahogany, black, all weights and sizes; complete lines of all the well known makes; values from \$6 to \$10; Easter special at

\$2.98 to \$5.98

EASTER OFFERING FOR THE KIDDIES

Full line of Boys' Suits, wear well, look well and are much underpriced at

\$2.98 to \$9.98

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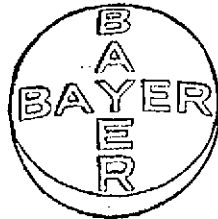
J. R. COHEN, Manager.

"FAKE" ASPIRIN WAS TALCUM

Counterfeiter Caught! The New York health authorities had a Brooklyn manufacturer sentenced to the penitentiary for selling throughout the United States millions of "Talcum powder" tablets as Aspirin Tablets.

Don't ask for Aspirin Tablets—Always say, "Bayer."

Don't buy Aspirin in a pill box! Get Bayer package!



Always say, "Give me genuine 'Bayer Tablets of Aspirin.'" Insist you want only the Bayer package with the "Bayer Cross" on the package and on the tablets.

The genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions for Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Colds, Grippe, Influenza Colds, Joint Pains, Neuritis. Proper dose in every "Bayer" package. American owned!

Doses of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24—Bottles of 100—Also Capsules; Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocrocinolide of Salicylic Acid

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

When you want your Ford Car repaired, insist always upon getting the genuine Ford parts, made by the Ford Motor Company, in order to insure reliable quality. There are "spurious," "counterfeit," "imitation" parts made by outside concerns who have no regard for quality in material, so insist on your Garage or Repair man furnishing you the genuine Ford Parts. All reliable garages may now buy the genuine Ford Parts from us—so there's no excuse for any one using the "bogus" parts. To be sure, bring your car to us for repairs or replacements.

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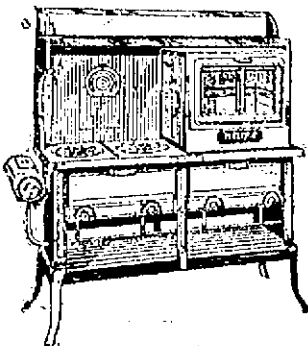
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As Saturday afternoon will be practically a holiday in this city, the navy yard and ship yards closed down, the field for the weekly shoot at the Portsmouth Country Club promises to be a large one.

There will be some special features and the regular twenty-five target events for which prizes will be awarded, all handicap events. The range is meeting the approval of all of the runners who have been here from other clubs, and one well known shot who has been at the traps all over New England said that this range was as good as any he has ever shot over.

The work of erecting the log cabin is under way and it will be completed for the members by a week from Saturday at the latest. It will be a typical Canadian log cabin, with a field stone fireplace and with a piazza in front, and it is located so that it commands a complete view of the range.

BOWLING

The Little Bowery Association, had another bowling match on Wednesday evening at the Hogan alley and the team captained by Ryan defeated that captained by Crowley. Laughtlin was high man with 375 and high single with 108. The scores:

Ryan's Crew				
Capt. Ryan	86	78	78	242
Hiddle	69	78	80	227
Brault	93	71	75	239
Laughtlin	108	78	80	266
Lowell	81	86	103	269
Totals	433	392	425	1257
Crowley's Gang				
Capt. Crowley	78	78	83	239
Coney	87	81	80	248
McDonald	73	78	83	234
Walsh	78	81	75	234
Moran	73	81	87	241
Totals	387	400	394	1181

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HIGH SCHOOL BASE BALL COACH

Tommy Pilgrim has been engaged as baseball coach for the High School base ball team, and has already entered upon his duties. He has the team out every fair day and is putting them thru preliminary practice.

There are a good number of candidates this year and some of it very promising material. Some of the Freshman class look good and a good part of last year's team is in school.

TAXI BANDITS TO BE BARRED

Camp Devens, April 17.—Taxi drivers charging more than 25 cents per person from Depot squares to any place in the entertainment will be barred from entering the reservation.

Drastic measures will be taken by the military authorities to prevent further victimizing of the families of men of the Yankee Division.

The military police are watching for violation of the regulations governing the operation of passenger cars and drivers caught overcharging or speeding will be severely dealt with.

Complaints to such number came from visitors fleeced by unscrupulous taxi men that half a dozen were called to camp headquarters and sharply reprimanded.

At least a half dozen more have had their camp licenses taken away and others are on probation.

Persons compelled to pay more than 25 cents a ride are asked to notify any provost guard and give in the license number of the automobile. Military police are distinguished by the brassards they wear on their left arms.

YD BOYS "WANNA GO HOME"

Camp Devens, April 17.—Rain and gloom yesterday overwhelmed and captured the 26th Division. Homesickness, worse than any youngster sending his first night away from his folks ever had, permeated the entire YD last night as the men lounged and growled in their barracks. The down-pour suspended every activity. It forced a cancellation of all drills and athletics; it caused the review of "Boston's Own" 101st Infantry to be postponed until 11 o'clock Saturday morning—Patriots' Day—and it drove everyone indoors but the plodding sentries. And the deluge that splashed off their tin derbies seeped through even the slatest of rain protection.

EXETER

Exeter, April 17.—Holy week services at the First Congregational church Wednesday evening consisted of preaching by Rev. James H. Harvey, pastor of the Methodist church on "The Sacrifice of Love." Tuesday evening Rev. S. W. Schumann, pastor of the Baptist church preached on "The Spirit of Self Denial." At the Christ church services were held last evening in the chapel.

A real estate transaction recorded at the Registry of deeds yesterday was the sale of the Gilman House on High street, to Elizabeth J. Baker.

Harry F. Green of the Portsmouth navy yard is at home suffering from an injured hand received while working.

The telephone strike is not affecting the local exchange as the force is on duty, it being a non-union office, but the public is inconvenienced in making out-of-town calls where other offices are closed.

Easterly gales yesterday made a high surf at Hampton Beach and high tides in the Swanscott river. The temperature did not rise to much above 40 degrees making it one of the coldest April days for several years.

WASHINGTON ASKS FOR BIDS ON FUEL OIL

Washington, April 17.—Bids on 6,400,000 barrels of fuel oil, to be delivered during the next 12 months to Shipping Board vessels at Boston, Philadelphia, Galveston, Cristobal and Balboa, were asked yesterday by the board's division of operations.

Let the Herald know when your boy is released from service and arrives home.

SUNSET LEAGUE TO MEET THIS EVENING

A meeting of the managers of the base ball teams for the Sunset League will be held at the P. A. C. this evening when bids will be put in for teams. The Receiving Ship Southern will offer a team and a civilian team from the Navy Yard is promised. This last named is said to be a real proposition. With players enough to make it a rattling good team.

The matter has been under discussion for some time at the yard and the plans are outlined for a team that will be worth while. The same might be said of the Southern where Captain Weeks is anxious to get his team in the league.

The Atlantic will probably want a team but there is some certainty about the Shallock yard. The Bills are also talking base ball and the P. A. C. will be represented. mfwyp mfwyp wpyyp be in as usual. The K. C. are planning for a team and the Y. M. C. A. is sure to be represented. A general discussion of the league will be held at the meeting this evening and in all probability the five inning game will be adopted.

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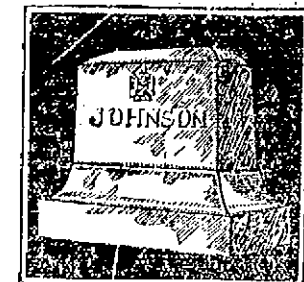
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The Lost Chord	Reinold Werrenrath	45089
Messiah—He Shall Feed His Flock	Elic Baker	45144
Messiah—Come Unto Me	Lucy Marsh	55053
Messiah—I Know That My Redeemer Liveth	Lucy Marsh	55053
Oh, for the Wings of a Dove	Lucy Marsh	55053
Hallelujah Chorus—Messiah	Prior's Band	35184
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LABOR SAYS HOSPITAL MONEY MAKING CONCERN

Sharp Reply to the Board of Directors From Organized Labor

Mr. Milton B. Clarke,
Deaf Sign

At the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Portsmouth Hospital, the offer of the Central Labor Union to donate a certain sum of money to the hospital, to maintain a free bed, and insure representation on the Board of Directors, was reported.

In reply the Directors wish to express their thanks for the interest shown the hospital by this offer, and would say that any unconditional gift of money from this or any other organization would be most gratefully received.

Due to present conditions how-

ever, the Directors do not feel that it is possible for the hospital to maintain any additional free beds.

For the Directors.

RETH R. JARVIS, Secretary.

The foregoing letter has been received with great interest and with bitterness or resentment. It has disclosed a new species of human selfishness, viz:

The wish to appropriate to a "few and select" category the fun of doing good for our fellowmen. The letter also demonstrates the need of enlightenment. It also shows a disposition to take all and give nothing; it likewise uncovers the hidden truth that the Portsmouth Hospital is not a charitable institution, but is a business concern—a soulless and classed corporation, conducted for pecuniary profit—with scant consideration for anything else. The profits for the past year were in the neighborhood of \$2000. They have on hand a fund of \$30,000 available for extension purposes, and another sum of \$1500 which can be added to this fund.

It is most respectfully suggested that instead of refusing to maintain free beds to be paid for by organized labor or any other agency, they begin operations immediately to provide accommodation for more, and not reduce the number of patients which they will receive. "Charity" patients

have scant pickings when the number of patients is limited.

Being run along purely business lines, surely the Portsmouth Hospital will not have the temerity to ask for exemption from taxation and the money can be devoted to needed municipal improvements, nor will they need the \$500 which the city gives the Hospital each year. A memorial to the City Council to this effect will soon be forthcoming.

FRED W. STATION,

President C. L. U.

M. B. CLARKE,

Secretary C. L. U.

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LOCAL DASHES

We pass some of the sweet Hello voices.

Portsmouth has its first real labor trouble.

Welcome to the boys of the U. S. S. Pittsburgh.

Many new business concerns are springing up.

Phone one for taxi service anytime for anywhere.

Portsmouth should start a thorough housecleaning.

Acting President Tumulty is getting into the hot light.

Keep talking the new bridge—we want to keep it alive.

Don't let the furnace fire die out entirely; you may need it.

Monuments and gravestones. J. H. Dowd Co., 98 Market Street.

Mrs. Sheehan's fancy work sale now going on, 100 Bennett street.

Salisbury Beach has made its bow to the public for the season of 1919.

McIntosh is showing a fine line of wall paper. All prices.

Local telephone users appear to take the strike situation good naturedly.

Before purchasing wall papers call and inspect the line at the McIntosh store.

The Sunset League magnates meet this evening at the P. A. C. club house.

Have you taken an honest to goodness view of your back yard and also the cellar?

Engineer Grover is putting the ocean boulevard in condition for the summer traffic.

Here is hoping that the telephoner strike will be settled satisfactory to both sides.

Get your bright-eyed fish at the Portsmouth Fish Co., Broughton's Wharf, J. P. Lamb.

The police are rounding up some characters who would have been lynched in some communities.

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The members of the crew of the U. S. S. Pittsburgh came ashore Wednesday and quite a few went to Boston.

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Some one claims the rain fall is yet shy of the required amount needed. We do not believe it unless some one wants to run a water power mill.

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SAVES HIMSELF FROM GOING UNDER MACHINE

Grabbed Radiator Filler When Struck by Auto.

George Monaghan, a carpenter at the navy yard, residing on South street, had a narrow escape from a serious accident on Congress street on Wednesday evening, when an auto coming out of a side street ran into him while he was crossing the street.

Mr. Monaghan saved himself by grabbing the radiator filler which prevented him from going under the machine, although he was dragged a short distance. The man driving the car did not have a clear view owing to rain on the windshield but Monaghan says that did not excuse him from using the horn.

BURGLARS MAKE GOOD HAUL ON MYRTLE AVENUE

Get Away With Money, Jewelry and Children's Banks.

Once more the clever thief or thieves are operating in Portsmouth and selected the Christian Shore section of the city to pluck last night.

Mrs. Viola G. Merrill's residence, 217 Myrtle avenue, was robbed of about \$125 in cash, jewelry and children's banks.

Entrance was gained by forcing a kitchen window, and breaking the lock.

Miss Viola Merrill, eldest daughter of Mrs. Merrill lost \$74 in cash that was taken from her pocketbook, kept in a bookcase in the living room. Miss Elizabeth was relieved of two gold rings and two small savings banks issued by the Massachusetts Savings bank. The banks contained a sum estimated to be about \$20.

The burglary was committed some time during the night although none of the family asleep upstairs heard any unusual sound.

The thieves overlooked quite a sum of money that was in the book case near the pocketbook that was emptied and thrown on the floor.

The police are investigating the case today and every effort will be made to apprehend the thieves.

No other residents were disturbed in this section and no suspicious characters were seen in the vicinity during the past few days.

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The Gracert club has received an invitation to attend the District Conference at Dover on April 22. The Dover Woman's Club will act as hostesses.

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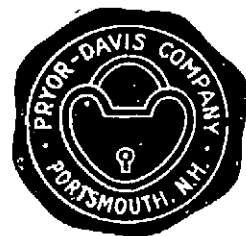
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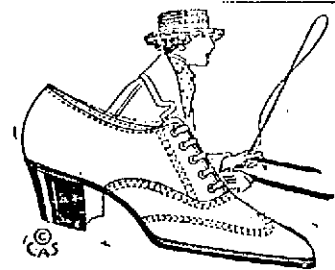
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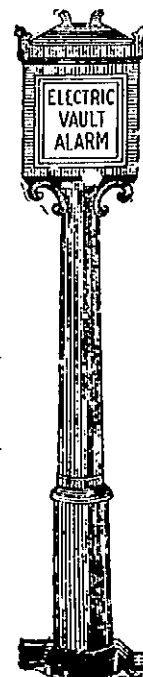


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